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ITEM OF INTEREST TO U.S. AT 2-3 JULY 75 MEETING OF
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

DEFENSE FOR OASD/I&L

XVI. CONSIDERATION OF CUSTOMS DUTIES FOR THE COMPARIOSN OF QUOTATIONS
IN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

PROPOSE TO CONCUR IN THE FOLLOWING RECOMMEDATION OF THE F&A
COMMITTEE APPLICABLE TO NATIONALLY FUNDED BROKERAGE:

"WHEN A PURCHASE IS TO BE MADE FOR ONE COUNTRY ONLY , THE
CUSTOMS DUTIES APPLICABLE FOR THAT COUNTRY WILL BE TAKEN
INTO CONSIDERATIO FOR THE COMPARISON OF QUOTATIONS IF THE
CONTRY HAS EXPRESSED SUCH A DESURE TO NAMSA.

"THE SAME WILL APPLY WHEN A PURCHASE IS TO BE MADE FOR TWO OR
MORE COUNTRIES HAVING EXPRESSED THE SAME DESIRE AND SUCH
COUNTRIES APPLY THE SAME RATE OF CUSTOMS DUTINES OR AGREE ON
ACOMMON RATE TO BE APPLIED."

XVII. REVISION OF THE NAMSA PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS
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PROPOSE TO CONCUR IN APPROVAL OF NEW PARAGRAPH IN NAMSA
PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS SET FORTH IN LOG 8-F&A 10 WHICH PROVIDES
FOR NOTIFICATION IN THE EVENT THE AGENCY INTENDS NOT TO AWARD A
CONTRACT TO THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE BIDDER AND FOR PROTEST OF

AWARD PROCEDURE IN SUCH CASES.

FYI. THESE PROVISIONS, TOGETHER WITH TOSE CONTAINED IN
LOG 2-F&A2-ALREADY APPROVED FOR IMPLEMENTATION BY
F&A COMMITTEE- SHOULD GO A LONG WAY TOWARD PREVENTING
RECURRENCE OF SO FLAGRANT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST AN
AMERICAN FIRM AS OCCURRED IN THE CASE OF THE HAWK
KLYSTRON PROCUREMENT INVOLVING VARIAN ASSOCIATES.

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XXIII. CLOSED SESSION

RENEWAL OF THE GENERAL MANAGER'S CONTRACT

PROPOSE TO CONCUR IN FINAL EXTENSIONOF GENERAL GENTSCH'S
TENURE AS GENERAL MANAGER UNTIL 30 JUNE 1978.
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